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## **COMMUTER ALERT**

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## SAFETY PROJECT ON STATE ROUTE 38 AT SANTA ANA RIVER BRIDGE FLAGGING OPERATION STARTING JULY 9, 2018

**SAN BERNARDINO** – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will begin work on the State Route 38 (SR-38) near Angelus Oaks at the Santa Ana River Bridge on July 9, 2018 with a flagging operation. The \$1.3 million project was awarded to RSB Group, Inc. This safety project includes rehabilitating the bridge and upgrading the bridge railing. The work is expected to be suspended during the winter season from November 1, 2018 to April 1, 2019, and is planned to be completed in the spring of 2019.

The contractor will be mobilizing their equipment starting on Thursday and Friday, July 5 and 6, 2018, respectively but will not require any lane closures. Starting on Monday, July 9 thru July 13, 2018, motorists can expect a reduced lane and one-way traffic control with flagging. They will be putting in a temporary traffic signal. The signal light will be in place 24 / 7 until bridge rail upgrades are completed (about three months) after which the traffic will again be controlled by flaggers. During times of heavy traffic please plan ahead and build in extra travel time.

The details of expected work are as follows:

Direction	Eastbound/Westbound
Location	At Santa Ana River Bridge
Work Details	<ul> <li>One-way traffic control with one lane closed with a flagging operation.</li> <li>Temporary traffic signal present for first three months until bridge rails are completed.</li> </ul>
Time	24 / 7 during first three months (approximately)

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